Bernon.

Berthe Mebattion!
Sa id nad niches non biefer Gegenb
tu Ihrer Bettung gesehen habe, und id, h
alb id biefen Gommer Bee n. Fabette fe
County burdhreifte, mehreren verspreden habe, in berichten, wie hier alles R
kebt, senbe id biefe Rorrespondens.

estr baben bieles Babe eine entge- fi seidnele Ernte, Baummolle ift fie madt u pon 1-1 Ballen jum Mider und ift nod in fehr viel ju biden, es wird von Yor. bis \$1 00 per 100 Plund bezahlt für Biden Rorn if auf febr gut gerathen, es medt son 40 bis 60 Bufdel ber Merr, aber bas meifte ift noch im Belbe, es bringt fest 40c. per Bufdel in Bernon. Sählertoffeln wurben ungefähr 850 Bufdel per Mder geerntet. Dille Mats und Gorghum ift febr gut gerathen; aber pleies ficht nach im Gelbe, ba bie Beute sod teine Beit batten, babfelbe gu erm ten. Da mir targlid mehrere Sonner Megen hatten, fo ift viel Bergen gefact morben unb berfelbe fieht fehr gut ans. Rod mehemaligen Berufen hatte unfere Gemeinde erblid bes Bibl, wieber cie nen Baffer ju betommen. Bir befamen Derru Bafter Doljen son Otlafoma, Unfere Gegenb erhält großen Bujug von allen Ridtungen,

Bon Bindefter tommen folgende mit Familien: Bin, Gour, T. Droigt, C. Benebir u. Fri, Therefte Relogart.

Bon Snies Ally tonenen folgenber igerb. Förfter, G. Franke, D. Rurcher von Ber Co. und Bim, Benbiand von Billiamfon Co. Da werd es hoffentlich temes hilfe für unfere Genembe, well bas alles bentiche Leule find. In einer Gemeindeorrfammiung nurbe türzlich beschleffen, ind wurde fofert für \$10,00 augusche fier, und wurde fofert fürstlit. Wie hatten bebber, nur einen leichten Froft, die Bannwolle hat war eines Blätter abgefroren,

Baft auf, alle ihr Domen, Mabden fomoft wie Bittmen, es nirb gu Beifnachten wieber ein Bittmet ale Detente fendital be antenmen.

Alb Mr. Manual

Mit Gruben alle Befer.

Vernon

Dear Editor!

As I haven't seen anything from this region in your paper, and I, when this past summer was passing through Lee and Fayette Counties, promised various individuals that I would report how things are going here, I'm sending this correspondence.

This past year we had an excellent harvest. Cotton produced 1/2 to 3/4 bales per acre. There still is much to be picked. 75 cents to a \$1.00 per hundred pounds is being paid for the picking. Corn produced well: it is making 40 to 50 bushels per acre, but the most of it is still in the field. It is bringing in 40 cents per bushel in Vernon. Sweet potatoes are producing 250 bushels per acre. Milo maize and sorghum turned out good, but much of that is still in the field, because people have had no time to get it harvested. As we recently had several showers, much wheat is being sowed, and it's looking very good. After sending out several calls, our congregation has finally had the good fortune of getting a Pastor. We called Pastor Holzen from Oklahoma. Our region is drawing many people from all directions.

From Winchester we received the following families: Wm Schur, T. Droigk, E. Benedix and Miss Theresia Reinhart.

From Swiss Alp we received Ferd. Förster, E. Franke. D. Karcher from Lee County and Wm. Wendland from Williamson County. This will undoubtedly be a boost for our congregation, since all of these are German. In our congregation-meeting the motion passed to get a new organ for \$80.00, and it was ordered immediately.

So far we've had only a light frost. It caused only a few leaves to drop off the cotton.

Watch out, ladies, girls and even widows: a widower will soon arrive in the winter and will be a candidate for marriage.

Greetings to all readers!

C.S.

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